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# KNUCKLE SANDWICH

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ONE-POUND COINSE, GRAPHIC, REVELATION ONE  
ONE-POUND COINSE  
MURDER FOR MURDER  
SNAJGOLF (SHINGOBARA)



POOR  
KOSAKU  
COLLAPSED  
HOSPITALIZED  
WHAT  
HAPPENED  
??



CHAPTER ONE  
**LAMB FOR THE  
SLAUGHTER**  
PART ONE



HE MUST  
HAVE BEEN  
TRAINING  
TOO HARD!  
HE'S GIVEN  
HIMSELF SOME  
INTERNAL  
INJURY!!











SO...

...YOU  
WANNA  
BE A  
PRO  
BOXER,  
EH?



*PLEASE*  
EXCUSE MY  
NEPHEW!  
HE'S A LITTLE  
UN-RAM-  
BUNCTIOUS!

HEY,  
YOSHINOBU!  
APOLOGIZE!



UHL,  
AND THIS  
IS...

ONE OF OUR  
CLIENTS, THE  
OWNER OF  
THAT SPORTS  
EQUIPMENT  
STORE...



I TOLD HIM  
YOU'RE ONLY  
A FRESHMAN!  
THERE'S NO  
HURRY! BUT  
YOU KNOW  
KIDS...

HE  
INSISTS ON  
SPENDING  
TWO OR  
THREE  
WEEKS AT  
A TOKYO  
GYM.



SO HE TOOK  
ADVANTAGE  
OF HIS UHL  
BREAK TO...

BREAK  
?

AREN'T ALL  
THE HIGH  
SCHOOL  
SPRING  
BREAKS OVER  
BY NOW?



I GOT  
SUSPENDED

YOU  
GOT A  
PROBLEM  
WITH  
THAT  
?





THIS  
MUKAIDAK'S  
GYM?  
DELIVERY!

WHOA!  
GASP!

HUH?  
?

MY  
GOD!

IT'S A  
GOLD  
WATER-  
BAG!!

AN  
ACTUAL...  
WATER-  
BAG...?!

WOAH  
MAN!

THESE THINGS  
DON'T FESS UP  
YOUR FISTS LIKE  
A SANDBAG  
DOES, RIGHT?  
AND HITTIN' EM  
FEELS JUST  
LIKE HITTIN' A  
REAL GUY!

I'VE  
BESH  
DYIN' TO TRY  
ONE!

I  
DIDN'T  
ORDER  
THIS!

JUST A  
*SMALL*  
TOKEN OF  
APPRECIATION...  
COURTESY  
OF MY  
STORE.

HEY, MY  
DAD PAID  
FOR IT!



ENDS  
LATER--

PUSH  
IT!

YOU GOTTA  
HARD UP  
FOR ALL  
THAT  
HOSPITAL  
TIME!

Wahh

Wahh

Wahh

CHING  
CHING

SO  
HUNGRY..

MAN  
?

...

WHAT THE  
HELL ARE  
YOU DOING  
HERE?!

WHO'S  
HEY?

IT'S A  
LONG  
STORY..

MIND IF I  
RUN WITH  
HATANAKA?



WHY  
WOULD  
YOU  
WANT  
TO?



HE'S THE  
STRONGEST  
GUY IN  
THE GYM,  
RIGHT?

WELL,  
YEAH.

I'M  
AFRAID  
HE IS.



WHAT'S WRONG,  
GOACH? YOU  
LOOK ASHAMED!



BECAUSE  
I  
AM!



WELL, SINCE  
WE'RE ONLY  
GOING FOR A  
LIGHT WORKOUT  
TODAY, WHAT  
THE HELL

IF YOU CAN  
KEEP UP WITH  
US, YOU CAN  
TAG ALONG.



HEH  
HEH  
HEH



HAHAH.

LOOKS  
LIKE HE'S  
STILL A  
LITTLE BOY  
INSIDE.





















FIRST, PLEDGE  
NEVER TO BE  
VIOLENT AGAIN.

THE  
COACH  
IS A  
VERY  
GENEROUS  
SOUL.

IF YOU  
APOLOGIZE  
WITH ALL YOUR  
HEART, HE'LL  
FORGIVE  
YOU.



YOKAIDA'S GYM  
BOXERS WANTED

I'M  
REAL, REAL  
SORRY!  
HONEST  
I AM!



I REPENTED  
TO THE SISTER  
W/ EVERYTHING,  
SO PLEASE  
FORGIVE ME!

PLEASE  
GIVE HIM  
A CHANCE  
TO REDEEM  
HIMSELF!

HYPERL





HE'S IN THE  
MIDDLE OF  
WEIGHT  
TRAINING  
FOR HIS  
NEXT FIGHT.

YOU ARE  
*NOT*  
TO FEED  
HIM AGAIN!

BUT I  
DIDN'T  
EAT  
THAT  
MUCH!



IS  
WEIGHT  
TRAINING  
REALLY  
THAT  
ROUGH?

AW,  
IT'S  
NOTHING!

EXCEPT  
THAT IT  
TURNS YOU  
INTO AN  
ANIMAL  
EVERY  
TIME!



I'LL JUST  
WAIT UNTIL  
HE'S WEAK  
WITH HUNGER,  
AND THEN...

HEH  
HEH  
HEH!



DOWN  
YOU GO,  
STRONG  
BOY!

LISTEN, THIS NEXT  
FIGHT—JUST DON'T  
DO ANYTHING STUPID  
AND IT'LL BE  
A BREEZE.

YEAH,  
YEAH.







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## KNUCKLE SANDWICH



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CHAPTER ONE  
**LAMB FOR THE  
SLAUGHTER**  
PART TWO







FOOD  
POISONING  
!!



SEEMS THE  
SUSHI THEY  
SERVED DIDN'T  
GIVE AGREE  
WITH ME..

OH  
COME  
ON !

AND  
MAYBE  
YOU'VE  
GOT A  
HOLE IN  
YOUR  
MEMORY..



FORGIVE ME,  
KOSAKU WITH  
YOUR FIGHT  
COMING UP  
AND ALL..

WHAT  
ARE YOU  
TALKING  
ABOUT,  
COACH  
!!



TAKE  
YOUR  
TIME!  
GET  
BETTER!

DON'T  
WORRY  
ABOUT MY  
TRAINING! I  
CAN TAKE  
CARE OF  
MYSELF!



SORRY TO DUMP  
THIS ON YOU, ISHIDA,  
BUT YOU'RE GOING  
TO HAVE TO STAY AT  
THE GYM WITH  
KOSAKU--STARTING  
TOMORROW.

SHIT  
!!













WHAT DO  
YOU THINK  
YOU'RE  
DOING?!!



OOOOO?

SCARY?



SO...  
TROUBLE  
DISTING?



WELL...  
YEAH.



EVER SINCE I  
HAD THAT FOOD  
POISONING, I JUST  
DON'T HAVE MY OLD  
CONFIDENCE...



KOSHILL  
SAYS HE  
YOUR  
RIGHT  
HAND.

HEH!



A  
PAPER  
STRING?

INSIDE  
THIS IS A  
STRAND OF  
HAIR



PLEASE,  
DON'T  
LOSE  
FAITH.



SISTER  
ANGELAS  
HAIR.

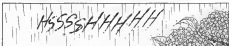


REMEMBER,  
THE COACH  
IS DEPENDING  
ON YOU.



YEAH.









WHEN HE  
WADDLES  
OUT, BLOATED  
AND STUPID,  
IT'S OVER!















SNAP  
*OUT*  
OF IT!

SHHHHHH



WAP















SO WHAT  
ARE YOU  
GOING TO  
DO ABOUT  
BOXING?



IM GONNA  
ASK MY DAD  
ONE MORE  
TIME.



I MEAN,  
RIGHT NOW  
IT'S JUST  
FUN, BUT...

I STILL  
THINK IT'S  
RIGHT  
FOR ME.



EVEN IF  
I HAVE TO  
STRUGGLE...

I KNOW THAT  
ILL LOVE  
BOXING  
JUST AS  
MUCH AS  
YOU DO,  
HATANAKA!



TILL  
NEXT  
TIME !

KEEP  
FIGHTING !



GOOD  
LUCK !





SISTER ANGELA

MY NEXT FIGHT'S BEEN SCHEDULED

OH KOSAKU

CHAPTER TWO  
TEARS OF A LAMB  
PART ONE

IT'S AN EIGHT-  
ROUNDER!  
AN EIGHT-  
ROUND MATCH

REALLY?  
CONGRAT-  
ULATIONS!

I'M GIVIN'  
IT ALL I GOT

...AN  
EIGHT-  
ROUNDER,  
SISTER

WELL, GOOD  
LUCK!

DEAR LORD, I DON'T  
QUITE UNDER-  
STAND.

THIS  
'EIGHT-  
ROUNDER'  
OF HIS.

BUT  
PLEASE  
RESTORE  
YOUR  
BLESSINGS  
OIL.



WHAT...  
?!



## CHAPTER TWO

# TEARS OF A LAMB

## PART ONE

THE  
BLESSED  
VIRGIN  
IS  
WEEPING  
?!















ALL  
RIGHT,  
EVERY-  
ONE!

TIME  
TO  
REHEARSE  
THE  
CHRISTMAS  
PAGEANT!

WACKY  
WACKY!

Saint Mary's KINDERGARTEN

SISTER  
ANGELA!

KOSAKU!

...YOU'RE  
GOING TO  
SCOUT OUT  
YOUR  
OPPONENT?

HA HA HA

YEAH,  
COACH IS  
PRETTY  
FREAKED  
OUT BY  
THE SIX,  
SO...

IS HE  
THAT  
FEAR-  
SOME?

STILL...

IT'S AN  
EIGHT-  
AROUNDER...

















WELL HE'S GOT  
GOOD FOOT-  
WORK AND  
SPEED BUT...

THEN YOU  
DON'T THINK  
HE'S THAT  
STRONG?  
GREAT!

HUH?

WAL

I THOUGHT  
YOU BROUGHT  
HIM IN  
*PERSONALLY*  
FROM  
MEXICO.

YEAH.

BUT  
I DIDN'T  
PLAN  
IT.

SEE, I WAS  
WANDERING  
AROUND  
MEXICO  
JUST BEING  
A TOURIST.

~~~~~  
...WHEN I MET  
THIS LOCAL  
GUY NAMED  
KAYEN  
FERNANDEZ.

I WENT  
TO A  
JAPANESE  
LANGUAGE  
SCHOOL.

I WANT TO  
EARN MONEY IN  
JAPAN AND GIVE  
MY MAMA A  
HOUSE AS A  
PRESENT.

THIS  
IS MY  
DREAM!

THEN  
I HEARD  
MYSELF  
SAYING...

THE







HE SAID  
HE WAS  
A TACO  
CHEF  
AND A  
BOXER.

I TRIED TO  
TURN THAT  
INTO A SCARY  
RING-NAME  
"TAKO" FOR  
OCTOPUS, AND  
"HACHIRO" FOR  
EIGHT ARMS.

BUT NOBODY'LL  
BUY THAT CRAP  
EXCEPT SCHOOL  
BOYS TRYING  
TO PROVE  
HOW TOUGH  
THEY ARE!



IF HIS BOXING IS  
AS BAD AS HIS  
COOKING, I'LL BE  
ABLE TO JUST  
SHIP HIM HOME.

CAN  
IT  
REALLY  
BE  
THAT  
BAD?



AND YOU  
ASKED FOR  
MORE?

EVERYTHING  
TASTES GOOD  
DURING WEIGHT  
TRAINING..



THE  
FOLLOWING  
SUNDAY

HUH?

HUH?

JAB  
JAB

KEEP  
JABBING,  
BOY!

JUST BECAUSE  
YOUR OPPONENT  
IS A VILLAGE  
FESTIVAL CHAMPION  
DOESN'T MEAN YOU  
CAN SLACK OFF!

SLACK  
OFF?  
NEVER!

NOT WITH MY  
CHRISTMAS  
DATE HANGING  
IN THE BAL...

OH?

HUH?











CHAPTER TWO

# TEARS OF A LAMB

PART TWO







「I'M  
REALLY  
LOOKING  
FORWARD.

「TO  
SPENDING  
CHRISTMAS  
WITH YOU.

「WEIGHT  
TRAINING  
IS EVEN WORSE  
IN THE WINTER,  
CAUSE YOU  
DON'T SWEAT  
AS MUCH.

「WELL,  
DO  
YOUR  
BEST!

「YOUR BOUL,  
IT'S COMING  
UP SOON,  
ISN'T IT?

「OH-  
HEH.



YEE-  
HEE!  
I THINK  
I'M A  
LITTLE  
TIRED!

THIS  
IS IT!  
THIS  
IS IT!

OH I  
PROBABLY  
CAN'T GET  
A HOTEL  
ROOM.

B-BUT  
M-M-  
MY  
APPOINTMENTS  
ARE  
NEARBY..!



THE  
MURDER  
GAME  
HAS  
STARTED

ONE BLOW TO  
THE HEART OF  
THE VIOLET MAID  
DEVELOP ON  
BLACK BODY AND  
I WILL FORGIVE  
SISTER ANGELA  
FROM SEEING YOU  
ON CHRISTMAS!

WAKUWAKU

WELL

I  
CAN'T  
HIT  
HIS  
BODY







HEY,  
HA-CHAN!  
(GONG)  
GO!

GOOD  
LUCK  
TO US  
BOTH,  
EH?



IN THERE,  
FIGHTERS.

BUT OUT  
HERE,  
AND-OS  
YES?



AM-  
HA-  
HA!

RIGHT!  
GOOD  
LUCK  
TO US  
BOTH!



SO HOW'S IT  
BEEN SINCE I  
MEAN, YOUR  
RESTAURANT..

IT'S  
CLOSED



BIG  
SURPRISE

THE  
FOOD  
WAS  
SOOO  
NASTY



BUT  
THAT'S  
NO  
PROBLEM,  
EH?







I'LL BE  
KEEPING A  
CLOSE  
EYE ON YOU,  
MY YOUNG  
FRIEND

YOU WILL  
NOT  
STAIN OUR  
BLESSED  
VIRGIN.

SISTER  
ANGELA

...BELIEVE  
IN ME!



I'LL WIN  
WITHOUT  
HITTING  
THE VIRGIN,  
AND SHOW  
EM ALL!

# KLAAANNING









# KLAANNING



ON MY  
HAS  
ANOTHER  
ADDRESS...

MADE  
IT  
IMPOSSIBLE  
FOR HIM  
TO WIN!



# KLAANNING

ALUM CROWDER

ROUND 2 FIVE SECONDS 3:00





AW NO,  
IT'S NOT  
ABOUT  
HIM.

IT DOESN'T MATTER  
HOW PATHETIC  
TACOS IS. YOU  
CAN'T LIGHTEN UP!

YOU THINK  
HELL BE  
HAPPY WIN-  
NING BECAUSE  
YOU FELT  
SORRY FOR  
HIM?

YOU'VE GOT  
HATANAKA  
FEELING  
SORRY FOR  
YOU!

AW-  
REIGHT

**KLAAANNNG**

IF I  
KEEP  
THIS  
UP.

**HUFF**

OH  
SLURP

THIS TACOS  
KID HE'S  
PRETTY GOOD  
ISNT HE?

LET'S JUST  
SAY HE  
DOES  
BETTER  
THAN HE  
COOKS.

WPH



RATS!

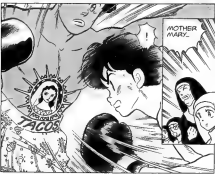
HE NEVER LETS HIS GUARD DROP FROM HIS FACE!

WHICH FIGURES I BLESS.



POOSH!

POOSH!



MOTHER MARY...



WHAT DO I DO?

IF I BELIEVE...



# WHOOOMM



PERFECT  
A TEN-  
COUNT!

OH, OH  
THAT  
BEAUTIFUL  
WRIST  
ROTATION!



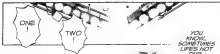
KOSABU!

OH,  
KOSABU!



*ppewww...*





YOU KNOW,  
SOMETIMES  
LIFE'S NOT  
FAIR.



SISTER!  
I'M  
SORRY!

I HAVE  
TO RUIN  
OUR  
CHRISTMAS!

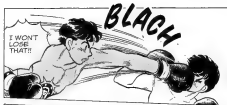


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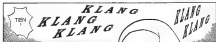






I'M  
SORRY  
!!















KINDA CROWDED, DON'TCHA THINK?

WELL, IT IS A CANDLELIGHT SERVICE...



SO...

THIS IS WHAT SHE MEANT

Hmoo

WHAT'S THE MATTER? YOU GOT YOUR WISH, DIDN'T YOU?

I'M SO GLAD WE CAN SPEND CHRISTMAS TOGETHER!



IT WAS INDEED A SILENT NIGHT

COME NEW YEARS, I'M INVITING HER TO GO VISITING JARDINES WITH ME



OH  
MY...

THEY  
POST-  
PONED  
YOUR  
FIGHT?

HOW  
DISAP-  
POINTING.



## CHAPTER THREE

# THE FALLEN LAMB

## PART ONE

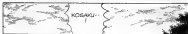
NO HEDDM,  
ESPECIALLY  
SINCE I  
WAS DOING  
SO GREAT  
ON MY  
WEIGHT  
TRAINING!

YEAH,

11  
POUNDS  
TOO  
GREAT,  
IDIOT!

















AND SO...





YOU'RE  
SUPPOSED  
TO BE  
DIETING,  
KANAPI!

YEAH.

I KINDA  
GAINED A  
LITTLE  
WEIGHT  
RECENTLY,  
SO.



I TRY  
REALLY  
REALLY  
HARD,  
BUT...

THEN  
SUDDENLY  
I'M  
EATING  
AGAIN.



YEAH,  
I KNOW  
THE  
FEELING...



HEY

YOU  
THINK  
IF WE  
ENCOURAGE  
EACH  
OTHER...

IT  
WOULD  
BE  
EASIER  
TO  
CONTROL  
OUR-  
SELVES?



THAT'S  
A  
GREAT  
IDEA!

RED BEAN CAKES

NOTHING  
CAN STOP  
US FROM  
LOSING  
WEIGHT  
NOW...  
TOGETHER!







HEY YOU'RE...  
YOU'RE...

OH!



AND WHEN  
DID THIS  
HAPPEN, HENRY?

YOU  
GOT IT  
ALL  
WRONG,  
COACH!



OH-SHE  
WASN'T  
FEELING  
SO GOOD...

SO I LET  
HER COME  
IN AND REST  
HERE FOR  
A WHILE  
AH...



JUST A  
FRIEND  
IS SHE..?

...

NON-  
SANE!

THIS  
THING  
GOT  
TIGHTER  
AGAIN!!



SISTER!  
WAIT!



YOU BELIEVE  
ME, DON'T  
YOU, SISTER  
ANGELA?



YES...

NOT  
THAT IT  
MAKES  
ANY  
DIFFERENCE  
TO ME...

HUH..?



WHO  
CAREDS  
IF  
KOSAKU  
HAS...





AND...  
I'VE BEEN  
MESSING UP  
HIS WEIGHT  
TRAINING.



THEN  
YOU'LL  
*DUMP*  
HIM?

GIRL  
COACH



ACTUALLY,  
I...



HEY,  
HASEGAWA!  
I  
JUST  
HEARD  
IT

GOT  
YOUR-  
SELF  
A  
GIRL  
FRIEND?  
HAH?

I  
THOUGHT  
YOU  
WERE  
SAVING  
YOURSELF  
FOR  
THE  
NUN!

SHUT  
UP!  
KANAS  
JUST  
A  
FRIEND!



COURSE...  
SHE'S  
SURE  
GOT  
A  
NICE  
PAIR  
OF...

BOONK





# ahahahahaha

SO SHE'S  
LIVING  
WITH  
SOME  
GUY  
NOW?

NO KIDDING,  
SHE'S "JUST  
A FRIEND!"

WHAT  
DID I  
SAY?!

HAPPY.

BY THE WAY,  
HIROSHI  
WASHIMARU'S  
GUY JUST  
CALLED.

HUH?

HIROSHI  
WASHIMARU.

ISN'T HE  
HATANAKA'S  
NEXT  
OPPONENT..?

HE WAS PLANNING  
TO APOLOGIZE IN  
PERSON FOR POST-  
PONING THE MATCH,  
BUT HIS STOMACH  
STARTED ACTING UP  
AGAIN, SO HE'S NOT  
GONNA MAKE IT.

AGAIN  
?!

WAKES  
YOU  
WONDER  
IF  
HE'LL BE  
ABLE TO  
FIGHT AT  
ALL.

HEAR  
THAT,  
KOSAKU?

I  
HEARD  
IT!

SO KANAK  
GOT A  
BOYFRIEND!  
FINE!

YOU  
CAN  
DROP  
IT NOW!

COME  
JOIN  
US IN  
THE  
PRESENT!







WE  
JUST  
**BROKE**  
**UP!**

Heeey

WHAT  
A  
BAMMER!

OH!

YOUR  
FACE



GOING OUT,  
SISTER  
ANGELA?

YES.

TO THE  
BOXING GYM,  
TO RETURN  
THIS  
BICYCLE.

SIGH

chip

LORD

I AM  
STILL  
UNCONVINCED

I SAW KOSANUS'  
GIRLFRIEND

...AND I WAS  
TROUBLED

DEAR  
LORD

PLEASE  
WATCH  
OVER  
ME...

PLEASE  
GRANT  
ME A  
HEART..

..THAT  
WILL NOT  
BE  
STIRRED..

Y-YOU  
WANT  
SOME  
VASLINE  
RUBBED  
ON IT?

DOES SHE  
LOOK LIKE  
A BOXER  
TO YOU?

GIVE  
SOME  
GAUZE!

RIGHT  
HERE!

ARE  
YOU  
OKAY  
IT?

I'M  
REALLY  
SORRY.

BUT  
YOU'RE  
THE  
ONLY  
ONE  
I  
TRUST.

KANA.

THAT  
BRUISE..

..DID  
YOUR  
BOY-  
FRIEND  
DO IT?

FORGET  
IT

I'M  
NEVER  
GOING  
BACK  
THERE







CHAPTER THREE

# THE FALLEN LAMB

PART TWO



MAN, WHAT  
A  
RELIEF!

SHHH!

LISTEN, YOU'RE  
SURE THIS  
IS OKAY,  
RIGHT?

IT, IT  
OUGHTA  
WORK  
OUT.

WENT TO  
FEEL A LOT  
BETTER  
ABOUT IT.

IF IT  
HADN'T  
HAPPENED  
IN  
FRONT  
OF  
ASAC.







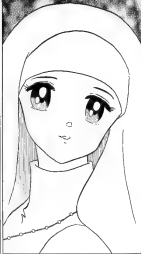




KOSAKU



WE  
WILL  
NEVER  
MEET  
AGAIN.









**BWAHKKK**



COME ON!  
SO YOU  
GOT  
DUMPED!



CHEER  
UP.

I'M  
HERE  
FOR  
YOU

KANA...

LUCKY DUDE.  
GOT YOUR  
REPLACEMENT  
ALREADY.

RE-  
PLACE-  
MENT?



SH--

POO--

SH--

BLEH!

HE'S  
GONNA  
GRAB.

WHAT-  
EVER  
IT  
TAKES.

I'M  
GONNA  
USE  
YOUR  
SHOWER,  
KAY?

THAT  
REMINDS  
ME.

HEROISE  
YOSHIMARU  
CALLED.

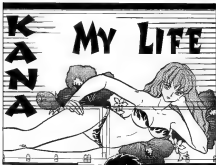


STUMBLE

















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PART THREE

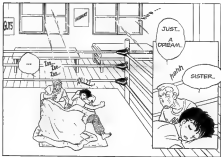


glint



SHUN...







I HAVE  
TO SEE  
SISTER  
ANGELA.

...AND  
STRAIGHTEN  
OUT THIS  
MISUNDER-  
STANDING.



I WILL  
HEAR  
YOUR  
STORY  
OUT  
IN HER  
STEAD.



JUST  
THINK  
OF ME  
AS  
ANGELA.

WHAT?

MOTHER  
ANGELA,  
ARE YOU  
NOT?



...

GOEZ.



KOSAHU.



WHAT IS HE DOING HERE..?



PLEASE LORD I  
BEG YOU

DO NOT LET  
MY HEART BE  
AGGRAVED BY  
ANYONE'S  
ANYMORE



SISTER  
ANGELA



MPL  
HATAMANA  
HAS JUST  
INFORMED  
ME..



SOME  
ADVICE, I  
ASSUME!

ABOUT  
A  
CERTAIN  
BICYCLE..



A  
BICYCLE..

IT SEEMS  
YOU  
BORROWED  
ONE FROM  
HIS COACH  
QUITE SOME  
TIME AGO,  
APPARENTLY..





SIGH.



WELL,  
GUESS.

SHE  
REALLY  
DOES  
HATE  
ME  
NOW.



THAT WAS  
ALL?

JUST THE  
BICYCLE...



HUH?  
YOU MEAN  
THIS  
DRESS...



...WAS  
FOR  
YOUR  
WEDDING  
RECEPTION...

FOR  
YOU TO  
WEAR...

YEP.

IT'S  
MADE-  
TO-  
ORDER.

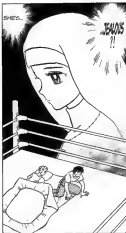
AND  
JUST  
CHOOSE  
THE  
PATTERN.



















SIGH

OH

THE  
STARTED  
SIGNING  
AGAIN

AND  
WONDERING...

HOW  
POOR  
KOSAKU  
IS  
FADING



OH

COACH

WELL  
I'VE  
BEEN  
KIND  
STRESSED  
OUT  
LATELY

NATURAL  
MEDICINE

SISTER  
ANGELA



'STOMACH  
GRAVITY  
AND  
MIGRAINES'

WELL  
I'VE  
BEEN  
KIND  
STRESSED  
OUT  
LATELY

MOSTLY  
OVER  
THAT  
GIRL KANA

OH



THE...  
THE ONE  
KOSAKU  
IS... IS...

SHE'S  
A  
CURSE  
THAT'S  
WHAT

OH! SO  
SHE'S  
ACTUALLY...



...HIS  
OPPOSITE'S  
GIRL  
FRIEND...

AND  
THAT'S  
WHY...



...SHE  
AND  
KOSAKU  
REALLY  
ARE  
JUST...?



COACH  
WOULD  
YOU  
MIND...

IF I  
WALK  
WITH  
YOU?

HEY  
THAT'D  
BE  
REAL  
NICE  
OF  
YOU...



ALL  
RIGHT  
!

COACH  
IS  
OUT!

FINALLY I CAN  
SNEAK OVER  
TO SISTER  
ANGELAS...

# BAM





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PART FOUR



THE  
WEEK  
PAGES

KOSAKU

WE  
GOTTA  
GO

IDA'S GYM

BOKE

SIGH

CYON,  
KOSAKU,  
WHAT'S  
WRONG?

IS  
YOUR  
ANGLE  
THAT  
BAD?

HUH?   
ANGLE?   
NAH.

HORRY

I'LL BET  
SISTER  
ANGELAS  
GOT IT  
ALL WRONG  
AGAIN.



GOOD LUCK!

I'LL BE THERE CHEERING FOR YOU!

Y-YOU!

FOR-- GET IT!



DID YOU SEE THE LOOK YASHAMARU GAVE HIM AT THE WEIGH-IN YESTERDAY?

HATANAKA IS DEAD.

I'LL SEE IT TILL THE DAY I DIE



SEEN!

ON KOSAKU.

I JUST WISH I COULD DO SOMETHING FOR YOU.



COULDN'T SHE FIX EVERYTHING BY JUST GOING BACK TO YASHAMARU?

FAT CHANCE



HEH!!

KOSAKU'S GONE!!

HYUUUUUU...



THIS  
TIME, I  
SWEAR,  
LOVED



... THAT  
ALL MY  
DOUBTS  
ARE  
TRULY  
GONE



FROM NOW  
ON, EVEN IF  
I DO MEET  
NOMARL



I PROMISE  
YOU THAT MY  
HEART WILL  
NOT BE...



SISTER,  
WAIT















NOW I'M  
GLAD YOU  
GUYS SHOWED  
UP! ANOTHER  
COUPLA  
SECONDS...

AND  
KOSAKU  
PROBABLY  
REALLY  
WOULDA  
GOTTEN  
INTO IT, Y'KNOW?

THEN I  
WOULDA  
DONE YOU  
WRONG,  
TOO, HUH?

I  
AMEH.



I HAVE  
GIVEN  
MY BODY  
AND SOUL  
TO GOD

SO IT  
MAKES NO  
DIFFERENCE  
TO ME WHO  
KOSAKU...

ANOTHER  
ADDRESS.

KANA.

K.

CALL  
AN  
AMBULANCE.









D-DOOM

HATANAKA,  
YOU BETTER  
BE IN TOP  
FORM.

YEAH  
SURE.

HE...  
DIDN'T  
HEAR...

LET'S  
MAKE IT  
A FIGHT  
WE WON'T  
REGRET...

BECAUSE  
IT'LL BE THE  
LAST ONE FOR  
BOTH OF US.

HUH?

WHAT  
DO YOU  
MEAN  
BOTH...?

HE MEANS  
HE'S  
GONNA  
RETIRE?

I HEAR  
HIS ULCERS  
ARE PRETTY  
BAD.

FEH

TONIGHT,  
I WILL  
SLAUGHTER  
YOU.



HAIL ?

GENERO HOSPITAL

ARE YOU AWAKE ?

OH, SISTER

HOW ARE YOU FEELING ?

REALLY TIRED AND SICK.

I HAVE TO SEE HIM.

WHAT ?

ONCE MORE BEFORE I DIE.

I WANT TO SEE HIROSHI...











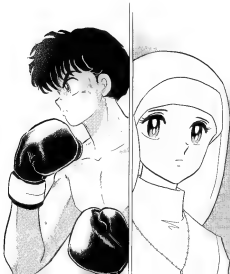




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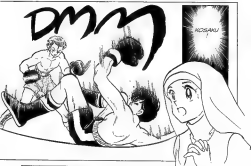


















YOU MEAN, IF YOU DIDN'T HAVE A SPRAINED ANKLE, RIGHT?



YSEE, THE FORCE OF A PUNCH COMES OUT OF THE TORSION OF THE HIP AND LEG, SO IF YOU CAN'T PUT ALL YOUR WEIGHT ON YOUR LEG...



HE CAN'T THROW A STRONG ENOUGH BLOW!



THE POOR JERK... YOU GOTTA ADMIRE HIM FOR HIS DETERMINATION.

AS LONG AS THERE'S NO FOOD INVOLVED!



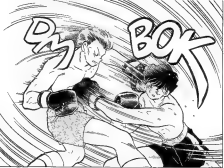
WEAKENING... LOOSER!

THIS ROUND-- I'LL FINISH HIM!



I WILL NOT.

LOSER!



THREE

FOUR

THAT  
LOSER!

IF RED HUND CAN  
JUST A  
LITTLE  
LONGER,  
I'VE  
BEEN.

FIGHT!







Shuffle

NO LONGER  
POSSIBLE  
BEHIND  
MURDER  
ARMED





KOSAKU!

DID YOU  
HEAR  
SOME-  
THING...  
GO "KRAK"?



I  
HOPE YOU  
FIND  
HAPPINESS

CLANG  
CLANG  
CLANG



YOU BACK  
WITH US  
YOSHIMASU





HE ONLY  
HAS EYES  
FOR ME...

WHO IS  
IT, OH  
LORD?

...THAT  
THIS  
MARRIAGE  
IS SO  
HAPPY?

I WISH I  
COULD  
RETURN  
HIS  
FEELINGS...

LORD,  
PLEASE  
TELL ME  
WHAT TO  
DO...



(END OF ONE-POUND GOSPEL: ENKURU SANDWICH)